

AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS:

Please substitute the attached replacement sheets for Figures 2 and 41 of the drawings as originally filed.

REMARKS

Applicants note, with appreciation, the Examiner's indication of allowable subject matter in the claims and respectfully request favorable reconsideration of this application, as amended.

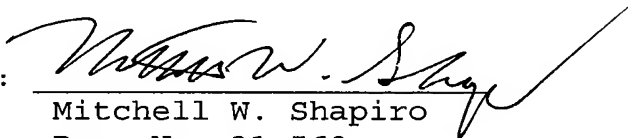
The title has been amended to address the objection. Figures 2 and 41 have been amended to correct minor drafting errors.

Various claims have been amended to address the alleged informalities and otherwise to improve the language.

This application is now in condition for allowance, and Applicants respectfully request passage to issue.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 50-1165 (XA-10183) any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper and to credit any overpayment to that Account. If any extension of time is required in connection with the filing of this paper and has not been separately requested, such extension is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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